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In re the Application of Alan K. Schaer

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND INFORMATION

**DISCLOSURE STATEMENT** 

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the above referenced application as follows.

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 3, without prejudice.

Please amend claims 1, 2, 18 and 20.

1. (Amended) An electrophysiology device, comprising:

a) an elongated shaft having a proximal end, a distal end, and

a distal shaft section and a plurality of electrical conductors helically

braided into the shaft;

b) a plurality of electrodes on an exterior portion of the distal shaft section; and

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